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Mary P. Levine, Acting General Counsel, MSHDA
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Dear Ms. Levine:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the draft 2008-2009 Qualified Allocation Plan. We support the draft plan with no changes. We appreciate the fact that under this plan there would be a substantial increase in affordable housing for people who have special needs and who are homeless. We appreciate the targeting of resources to those who are most in need.

We look forward to our continued collaboration through the Low Income Housing Tax Credit Program to establish housing units that are affordable and accessible.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Patrick Barrie".

Patrick Barrie, Deputy Director
Mental Health and Substance Abuse Administration